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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir :

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR § 1.56 and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby bring to the attention of the Examiner the International Search Report and International Preliminary Examination Report issued in connection with counterpart International Application No. PCT/JP00/01563, and the following documents cited therein:

EP 0 520 499 A1;

Japanese Patent Unexamined Publication (Kokai) No. 9-110722 (with an English language abstract); and

Cancer Letters, 118, (1997) pp. 153-160.

Copies of the foregoing documents are provided herewith. Copies of the International Search Report and International Preliminary Examination Report were filed with the application

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in this case. The Examiner is referred to the English translations of the International Search Report and International Preliminary Examination Report for an indication of the relevance given by the Examiner to the cited documents relative to the claims of the PCT application.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the documents cited above and to confirm such consideration by initialing in the appropriate spaces on the PTO-1449 form and returning a copy of the initialed form to Applicants.

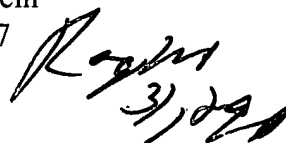
Applicant notes that an Office Action on the Merits has not issued in the instant application. However, if an Office Action on the Merits has issued, and is crossing this statement in the mail, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any fee necessary for consideration of this statement, including any payment under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p), to be charged to Applicant's Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should there be any questions, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed number.

Respectfully submitted,
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